But Irwin Is Content with the Lone Game His Giants Won.

They Stole Home with the Dawn and Will Hide in Newark To-day.

PFEFFER COMES OFF THE BENCH.

Fred Will Play First Base on His Re Entree, and Doheney and Zearfoss Will Hold the Points Against the Jerseymen.

At break of day a Baltimore & Ohlo sleeper full of disaster-stricken Giants slid gently into Jersey City and dropped anchor near the depot. Stowed away in the bunks and with their pictures turned toward the wall the tired warriors simblered on. What awful nightmares distressed them the athletes alone can tell. Totals 10 8 27 11 2 Totals 2 7 24 18 6 The betting yesterday was surprisingly good. There was some little grumbling toward them the athletes alone can tell. The betting yesterday was some little grumbling from owners and trainers before the racing began because of an attempt to exclude them from the club house inclosure, where anchor near the depot. Stowed away in But when, an hour later, the porter yelled "All out for Jersey City!" an anguished chorus of wakening groans and pitcous cries for mercy set the curtains fluttering. poor creatures! They thought the voice was that of Irwin and that the Day of Judgment was at hand. It was indeed a cruel, cruel shock.

Although the pitcherless crew returned in the second battalion of pennant winners they still have hopes. The outcome of the first essay brought surprise and pain to more than one Eastern city, besides setting at naught the prognostications of the baseball prophets. Boston and the champlen Baltimores both have hard luck stories to tell their constituents.

In reviewing the week with the Giants, Manager Irwin said that he was satisfied with one game, but would have been con-

"The opening of the season, especially awny from home, is always a critical stage," he explained. "The players are nervous and over-anxious and not in the best of shape, and the pitchers are reluctant to let their arms out. Then generally the home team is looked upon as having the best winning chance. Washington usually open strong. I have started the season there twice with the Philadelphia club, and they beat us out easily.

Then the ten days of bad weather prior to the opening set the men back in form. My best hitters could not get their eye on the ball. Had they lined out hits, coming up as they did with men on the bases, there ould be a different story to tell. But this is one of the fortunes of the game. "The condition my pitchers was in was nother great handicap. Had I been able ouse Flynn instead of Doheny, the Glants ould have won that second game. The comgster will be with us this week. Mee-

has a fast team, much better than a has a fast team, much better than a has a fast team, much better than a year, but they had no license to fead a Ghants had the latter lived up to the ords of the prophets. So day they take up the struggle anew an exhibition game at Newark with the sal nine. It is probable that a few anges will be made in the cast, with a sw of strengthening the team. The marini is there, if it can be properly placed, so of the new combinations is Pfeffer on st base. He has played that bag with edit to the nation, and his litting of late spires a feeling of hope. Fred says his lef season on the bench has done him od, and that he is now in splendid condition. In course of time, if Harry Davis ses not recover the form he exhibited in the South, and which was lacking his work at times during the Washing of series, Gleason may be moved up to set base, with Pfeffer at second. The lay drawback to this combination is that he Kid is almost too'short in the legs to cot out low throws and keep one hind but on the hag. However, Harry may be hip suffering from that nervousness or famond fright attending a League openac. But the changes suggested have been poken of, and the first shuffle will take lace to-day at Newark, with Pfeffer on he initial base. Dohney and Zearfoss, the oming catcher, will be in the points.

Paterson Drubbed the Athletics.

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The "Browns" Had None the Best of Everything Worked Like a Charm at Ben nings, and Spring and Fall Fix-Inning.

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St. Louis, Mo., April 19 .- "Your Uncle" Washington, D. C., April 19 .- The meet-Anson's colts put up a loose fielding game ing of the Washington Jockey Club, which to-day and failed to hit Breitenstein to any opened so auspiciously yesterday, is cer xtent after the first two innings.

The "Browns" secured but one scratch hit its promoters anticipated, and Spring and off Parker up to the sixth inning, but the Fall meetings can now be put down as young pitcher was somewhat wild and was fixtures of the Eastern circuit. The local



GEORGE VAN HALTREN.

The resurrected south paw pitcher who nobly hurled himself into the breach and saved the Giants from utter rout in the opening series at Washington. To an outfielder belongs the credit of the one game won. Van Haltren first signed as a pitcher with Chicago in 1887, but was soon relegated to the field. Since then he has filled in at various times with moderate success. In his palmy days his specialty was a slow drop curve that erate success. In his palmy days his specialty was a slow drop curve that proved very effective when under control. In Saturday's game Van worked the year graced the clubbouse veranda a high straight ball, and the Senators simply popped it up in the air.

Paterson, N. J., April 10.—The Athlettes, of Philadelphia, were almost shut out by the Patersons at Olymple Park this aftermoon. The twiring of Cogan's of the local team proved a mystery to the local team proved at mystery to the local team proved to the local team proved the lo

Butlers, Footmen, Valets.

Grooms. Should advertise on the Horsemen's Page, which is to be a regular feature of The Journal. This is the most interesting Horsemen's Page ever published. Read it to-

TO-DAY'S PROBABCE WINNERS.

AT BENNINGS. First Race-Religion, Miley, Second Race—Tomoka, Mirage.
Third Race—Hi Daddy, Arbuckle.
Fourth Race—Joe Heyman, Russler.
Fifth Race—Volley, Roundsman.

Special "Prep" for Graves-

AT MEMPHIS. First Race-Suisan, Green Jacket, Second Race-Forget, Constantine. Third Race-Frontier, Rondo. Fourth Race-Scribe, Anger. Fifth Race-Marcel, Billy McKen-

AT ELECTON. First Race-Duncan, Sir Clifton. Second Race-Jersey, Forest. Third Race-Grand Prix, Tribute. Fourth Race-Mask, Tiny Tim. Fifth Race-Marguerite II., Gram-Sixth Race-Arline, Tammany Hall.

The Card at Bennings. First Race-Purse \$350, for three-year old-d upward; penalties and allowances; ave fur

First Race—Half a mile. ndex, Horse, W't, Index, Horse, — Green Jacket, 113 — Roltaire

The Card at Elkton.

LIVELY AT FLEETWOOD. Col. F. N. Lawrence Shows Up a Fast Four-Year-Old Mare-Fast Work Will Be the Order from Now On.

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ship credit is still good, as he made several \$5000 bets on Saturday, all of which were losing investments.

M. F. Dwyer let the opening day pass without placing a commission. He received a strong tip on Factorum, but declined to accept it.

Wyndham Waiden sticks to his old practice of harvesting the early plums. Three of the winners came from his stable.

Twenty-second's Riflemen in Line.
The shooting at the Twenty-second Regiment rifle ranges on Saturday night was the best of the season, the occasion being a "sharpshooters' match," open to members of the rifle club, those making a total of 65 or better out of 70 to receive prizes and a special prize for the highest score. There were nine competitors, and Captain Sherwood won the match with a score of 66, and a captain Murphy, Sergeaut Goff and Pri
The New York and Brookiyn driving club as one of Golonel Lawrence's own breeding, and her dam was a daughter of Pearsall.

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Steinwhy's horses in John Daly's stable and carry work in company. Mr. John Kelly is working James Butler's big string of twenty-two slowly and carefully, but has let some of the youngsters step quarters in about 35 seconds.

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SEASON FULLY A MONTH BACKWARD.

Henry of Navarre in Good Shape, but Many Other Horses May Be Withdraw from the Star Handicaps in the Near Future.

The echo of the bugle from Bennings are course awakens not only trainers but the race course awakens not only trainers t

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THE HORTON ANTI-SPARRING BILL.

Signed on Saturday Last by Gov Morton,

cetera.-A person who, within this Stae, engage in, instigates, aids, encourages or does any act to further a contention, or fight, without weapons, between two or more persons, or a fight commonly called a ring or prize fight, either within or without the State, or who engages in a public or private sparring exhibition, with or without gloves, wthin the State, at

which an admisison fee is charged or receved, either directly

or indirectly, or who sends or publishes a challenge or ac-

cepts of a challenge for such contention, exhibition or fight, or carries or delivers such a challenge or aceptance, or trains

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tention, exhibition or fight, is guilty of a misdemeanor; provided, however, that sparring exhibitions wth gloves of not less than five ounces each in wight may be held by a domes-

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for athletic purposes only for at least one year, or in a build-

Prominent Sportsmen and Members of the Mayor Warster, of Brooklyn, has put

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